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FROM: THE CITY FUSION PARTY

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The City Fusion Party today proposed that the City construct combination armory-shelter-garage recreational buildings in place of existing obsolete armories.

Jack Padawer, party chairman, said this is a good method of providing a large number of youth recreational centers on a self-supporting basis.

By combining the garage portion with the other uses, the buildings will be self-liquidating in cost and self-supporting in operation, Padawer claimed.

"The City and State governments should jointly establish a new authority to finance the cost by the sale of bonds. This authority would function in a way similar to the Port of New York Authority and Tri-Boro Bridge Authority," Padawer explained.

"The sub-basements which will be garages can easily be converted into AIR RAID SHELTERS whether the autos are in them or not, in case of emergency. The Armory portions can double as juvenile recreational centers for after-school hours and on Saturdays, and Sundays and holidays.

"The roof can be used as a helicopter landing area in times of stress, and a play area at other times.

"The revenue from the parking of cars will support it all."

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Dear Mr. Dulles -  
 This would serve a  
 lot of purposes.

*Jack Padawer*

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